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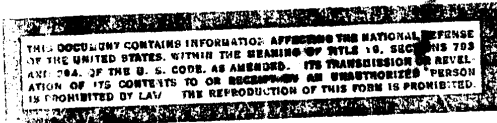
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- 1 On 27 October 1954, the Soviet DDSG barge arrived at Komarno, Czechoslovakia loaded with 540 tons of pyrite from the Soviet Union. After unloading, barge was returned downriver to Budapest where it was loaded with bauxite. 25X1
- 2 On or about 3 November, four Soviet DDSG barges loaded with pyrite from the Soviet Union arrived at Szatmarvaros, Hungary, where they were left to be unloaded.
- 3 On 4 November, DDSG barges departed Budapest loaded with bauxite. Destination of the two barges was the Soviet Union. 25X1
- 4 On 2 November, six Austrian DDSG tankers arrived in Budapest on their way upstream to Linz, Austria, loaded with Rumanian oil. The six tankers carried a total of 3,800 tons of oil. 25X1

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Comment. Presumably this shipment was made in connection with the compensation deal This transaction, in which VORST traded plate for Rumanian heating oil, was reportedly approved. 25X1

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